

Amendments to the Specification:

Please replace paragraph [0006] – [0007] with the following amended paragraphs:

[0006] Referring to FIG. 1 and FIG. 2, a drum type washing machine according to a related art consists of a tub 4, a drum 6, a driving unit 10, an inlet hose 12, a detergent box 14, an and outlet hose 16. The tub 4 is provided in a cabinet 2 enclosing an exterior of the washing machine, and the drum 6 is rotatably installed in the tub 4. A motor provided in the driving unit 10 is connected to the drum 6 through a rotational shaft 8 to rotate the drum 6.

[0007] Water is put in the tub 4 via the inlet hose 12, and a detergent is dissolved in the water supplied to the detergent box 14 connected to the inlet hose 12 so as to be supplied to the tub 144. Moreover, the outlet hose 16 is provided for discharging externally the water held in the tub 4.

Please replace paragraph [0040] with the following amended paragraph:

[0040] Referring to FIG. 3, an exterior of a drum type washing machine according to the present invention is covered with a cabinet 4252, and an opening 52a, via which a laundry is put in or pulled out of a drum 56, is formed at a front side of the cabinet 52. A tub 54 is provided in the cabinet 52, and the drum 56 is rotatably installed in the tub 54. A driving motor 60 connected to the drum 56 through a rotational shaft 58 rotates the drum 56.

Please replace paragraph [0046] with the following amended paragraph:

[0046] The ceramic receiver denoted by 'A', as shown in FIG. 3 and FIG. 4, is installed on an inside 56a of the drum 56. A ceramic 68, which alkalizes the water by reacting with the water to produce hydroxyl ions (OH^-) is received in the ceramic receiver "A".

Please replace paragraphs [0051] – [0053] with the following amended paragraphs:

[0051] In one embodiment of the present invention, a plurality of the ceramics 68 are received in the housing ~~72a~~ 72, and a multitude of perforated holes 72c are formed at the housing ~~72a~~ 72 to enable the ceramics to be contacted with the water. The housing ~~72a~~ 72 is inserted in a coupling hole formed on the inside 56a of the drum 56 to be coupled thereto by the hooks 74. In this case, the hooks 74 are preferably built in one body of the housing 72.

[0052] A front side of the receiver housing 72 is semi-circular so that a curved portion 72a protrudes toward a rotational center of the drum 56. A flat portion, which will be closely attached to the inside 56a of the drum 56, of the receiver housing 72 is formed open so that a plurality of the ceramics 68 are received through the opening 72b. And, a plurality of the hooks 74 are formed on a circumference of the opening 72b.

[0053] The housing 72 is formed long in an axial direction of the drum 56, and is installed to protrude toward the rotational center of the drum 56. Preferably, a plurality of the housings 72 are installed on the inside 56a of the drum 56 in a circumferential direction to leave a predetermined distance from each other. Hence, since ~~he~~ the housing 72 is rotated together

with the drum 56 on washing, the laundry is caught on the housing 72 to be lifted in the rotational direction of the drum 56 and then falls down by gravity. Namely, a plurality of the housings 72 play a role in the related art lifts.